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PETER DISS CUTS THROAT WITH KNIFE

CORONER'S VERDICT SUICIDE—MENTALLY UNBALANCED

LIVED WITH BROTHER

Is Found at 6:30 o'Clock this Morning Back of Barn—Has Been Acting Queerly

Peter Diss, age 46, committed suicide about 3 o'clock this morning at the home of his brother, Lawrence Diss, seven and one-half miles east and a mile and a half south of Maryville, by cutting his throat with a large pocket knife, severing the jugular vein and bleeding to death.

Dr. Frank Wallis, coroner, was called to the place about 8 o'clock this morning and in a view inquest gave out the verdict of suicide. Doctor Wallis thought that Diss was mentally unbalanced at the time he committed the act. Diss had been acting queerly for some time and was very superstitious, and at times told his brother he thought the Ku Klux Klan was after him.

Lawrence Diss, his brother, told the coroner that Peter got up about 3 o'clock this morning and left the house. Later this morning when Lawrence Diss arose at 6:30 o'clock he could not find his brother and upon search found him back of the barn near a hog watering trough. A big stream of blood had flown to the edge of the trough. It is thought that Diss, after cutting his throat and thinking he would not die immediately, climbed to the top of the fence around the trough for fear that the hogs would eat his body. His brother, Lawrence, took him to the house and called the coroner.

Peter Diss has been living with his brother on the farm east of Maryville since last October. Before that time he did carpenter work in Maryville. He was born in Nodaway County and has lived here all his life.

Besides the brother at whose home he died, Mr. Diss is survived by a brother, Joseph Diss of Maryville, and a sister, Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell of Conception Junction. His mother, Mrs. Amelia Diss of Maryville, died last summer.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at St. Patrick's Church, and burial will be in St. Patrick's Cemetery.

Ag. Appropriation Bill Is Laid Before House

Washington, Feb. 22—The agricultural appropriation bill for the fiscal years 1924-25, carrying a total of $56,758,000, a reduction of sixteen million dollars appropriated for the current year, was laid before the House this afternoon by the appropriation committee.

Officers Sell Articles at Conception Junct.

Sheriff Steve Roach and Deputy Sheriff A. Romasser sold at public auction yesterday afternoon the pool hall, barber shop and restaurant of J. J. Burns at Conception Junction. The articles sold for $238.15. The sale was held under an attachment suit filed by T. F. Merrigan, et al.

Discovery of Glass Is Shown in Picture

Films are Shown to Members of the Maryville High School Science Club this Morning

Two motion picture reels were shown at the Maryville High School this morning before the Science Club The first reel was "The Romance of Glass" and the other "Revelations." The first picture visualized the discovery of glass to the present methods of its manufacture into articles of use at the present day. Glass was thought to have been discovered in a crude form by the ancient Phonecians and was first blowed by the Egyptians.

The manufacturing of glass cans was the last part of the film in the Ball Mason plant" "Revelation" is a film on the revelations of the X-Ray. First was shown its discovery by Professor Routger, then the manufacturing of the X-Ray bulbs used today. The High School machine is operated by Richard Holt, a student. The films were obtained from the University of Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Darl Wells of Ravenwood were Maryville visitors today.

Polls Will Be Open From 6 to 7 o'Clock

Four Precincts in Maryville for the Voters of Polk Township to Cast Ballots

The polls for the special election next Tuesday when the proposed amendments to the constitutional will be voted on will be at 6 o'clock in the morning and close at 7 o'clock in the evening.

The polling places for Polk township are as follows: first ward, or precinct D, Arnold-Sillers Motor Co.; second ward or precinct C, Lloyd Geist's Shop; third ward or precinct B, Travis Chevrolet Co.; and fourth ward, or precinct A, Tindall's Plumbing and Heating Shop, 114 East Third street.

FORD TELLS ABOUT PROPOSED CHANGES

AT FIRST OF "OPEN FORUM" MEETINGS

OPPOSITION ANSWERED

Many of Arguments of Opponents of Measures are Unfounded, He Says —Each Amendment Explained

All of the proposed twenty-one amendments to the constitution of Missouri, to be voted upon by the people of the state next Tuesday, were explained and discussed by M. E. Ford in the first of a series of open forum meetings, sponsored by the Men's Bible Class of the First Christian Church, in the circuit court room last night.

Mr. Ford first discussed the general make up and procedure of the Constitutional Convention and how each one of the amendments was prepared. Some of the best legal talent in the state prepared the amendments, Mr. Ford said, and every one of them was thoroughly debated and perfected before reaching the final form.

Amendments One does not take away the trial by jury as some organizations in state contend, the speaker said, but simply provides that libel cases must be tried under same general rule of procedure as other cases. Heretofore the jury has been given the right to determine the law for themselves, and under the proposed amendment, the presiding judge tells the jury what the law is in the case.

Amendment One also provide that a religious corporation may hold real estate for a period not exceeding six years. The purpose of the limitation Mr. Ford said is to prevent religious organizations from blocking progress in a city by holding on to vacant lots or other needed property.

"Some organizations object to Amendment Two because they claim it tends to destroy the initiative and referendum", Mr. Ford continued. "But Amendment Two does not destroy this, but it simply raises the percentage required for referendum petitions from 5 to 10 per cent of the voters, and for an initiative petition submitting a constitutional amendment from 8 to 12 per cent of the voters of the state."

The Constitutional Convention thought there should be more interest shown on the part of the voters to initiate or refer back to the people, and hence the present percentage was raised, Mr. Ford said. Initiative and referendum costs an enormous amount of money to the state and this is why the convention thought there should be a higher percentage of people sponsoring these changes, he continued.

By amendment Three, it is sought to increase the pay of the members of the Legislature from $5 to $10 per day and to limit the clerical expenses to $400 a day. The clerical expenses of previous sessions of the General Assembly has averaged from $1200 to $1500 a day, and the proposed amendment would mean a great saving to the people of the state, Mr. Ford said.

As there seems to be no objections to Amendments Four and Five, these were not discussed by Mr. Ford at the meeting last night.

Amendment Six proposes to place all of the work of about seventy boards and commissions under the supervision of not to exceed seven departments, Mr. Ford continued. This would eliminate much useless work and a number of unnecessary employes now on the state pay-roll.

"This Amendment also provides for a budget system," Mr. Ford continued. "It gives the Governor the power to determine the needs of all of the de-

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RESERVED OFFICERS TO MEET MARCH 8

ALL OFFICERS IN COUNTY ASKED TO BE HERE THEN

TO FORMULATE PLANS

For Summer Training Camp—Battery C Preparing For Inspection On March 3.

All Reserved Corps Officers living in Nodaway County have been called to meet at the Battery C Armory at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, March 8, in regard to formulating plans for obtaining application for the Civilian Military Training Camp that will be held this summer.

Major Rolf Raynor has been appointed temporary chairman of the Reserved Corps Officers of this county until a permanent chairman can be elected at the meeting. The commission officers of the Reserved Corps are assigned to the 102 Division of the Seventh Corps Area, with headquarters at St. Louis under the National Defense Act.

It is the object of this officers meeting to make plans for securing as many men as possible to attend the C. M. T. C. for one month's training this summer. There will be two camps, one at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and the other one at Des Moines, Ia., and it will be optional as to which one the candidates may desire to attend. The date for these camps has not been set but will be announced later.

Major Rolf Raynor announced this morning that Battery C of the 128 Field Artillery is preparing for the annual armory inspection which will take place here a week from Monday, March 3. The Service Battery at Burlington Junction will be inspected March 4, and the Headquarters Detachment and Combat Train at Albany will be inspected the following day.

This inspection will be made by Major Sherman L. Kaiser, Hutchinson, Kan. The announcement of this inspection was received just recently from Colonel Jack Williams of Columbia. The officers of the Battery here are now busy checking up the property that is located here. Everything from shoe strings, tent pins costing one cent and poles costing 2 cents to the 75 m. m. guns, worth $10,000 are all accounted for.

All the commissioned officers of the Battery will leave some time next week for Leavenworth, Kan., to be fitted with new uniforms.

A Partition Suit Is Filed by Ida B. Rasco

A suit in partition was filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court yesterday by Ida B. Rasco against Edward S. Riddle, if living, Alice Rush, et al. The plaintiff asks the court to find title to the north half of lots one, two and three, block twenty-one of the town of Barnard.

Snodgrass Will Preach on "Office of Deacon"

Will be Subject at Sunday Morning Service—to Begin Series of Three Sermons Sunday Night

"The Office of Deacon" will be the subject discussed by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass at the Christian Church Sunday morning. This is another sermon of the general series on "Church Life and Polity."

Sunday night, the Reverend Mr. Snodgrass will begin a series of three sermons on the general subject of "God and Human Destiny." A mixed quartet will furnish the special music. The Lincoln pictures which were shown last Sunday night, will be repeated this Sunday night. There are four reels and two chapters of these pictures. The first chapter is "My First Jury," and the second is "The President's Answer."

Mrs. Johnston Buys Property

Mrs. Joe Johnston, living east of Maryville, has bought the Burt Rowley property at 621 East Second street, which was the former Mike Humphrey property. The consideration was $1,800. Mrs. Johnston gets possession March 1. The deal was made by R. F. Wallace.

Returns From Kansas City.

Tom Clark, proprietor of the Electric Theater, returned this morning from Kansas City, where he attended the state meeting of the Film Exhibitors' Association, which was held yesterday at the Baltimore Hotel.

Milo Vickery Heads College Track Team

According to School Paper of California Institution, Maryville Boy Will Be Star in Weights.

Milo Vickery, who was graduated from the Maryville High School last year, has been elected captain of the track team at Chaffey Junior College, Ontario, Calif., according to word received by Maryville friends today.

In the college paper, Vickery is praised for his work on the track team and his work on the weights will add considerably to the winning ability of the college aggregation, the California college paper says.

REED SAYS NAVAL OFFICER INVOLVED

DECLARES U. S. ADMIRAL WAS IN ON OIL DEAL

NO NAME MENTIONED

"Fall and Denby in Conspiracy to Nullify Federal Statute—Harding Hoodwinked"

In expressing his opinion of the Teapot Dome scandal, Reed declared that it involved "a high naval official—an admiral" but the Missouri Senator refused to disclose the name.

Reed said the worst development is the proof that the law of Congress placing the naval oil reserves in the hands of the Secretary of Navy was deliberately nullified.

"The evidence clearly shows that the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of the Navy conspired to nullify the law in order to permit the transfer to the Secretary of Interior," Reed said.

"The late President Harding in some way, was induced to sign the order transferring the naval oil leases. Mr. Harding is dead. I want nothing I say to appear as a reflection upon him. He was probably induced to sign the order without examining the law, but the order was in the teeth of the statute. It is clear that Fall had the leases transferred to him to, in turn, transfer them to Doheny and Sinclair.

"Fall and Doheny had an agreement to build huge oil tanks, costing the government billions of dollars and to pay for these tanks out of the oil royalties the government was to receive," Reed declared.

Chicago, Feb. 22—Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, and Edwin Denby, who recently resigned as Secretary of Navy, were charged with conspiracy to nullify the action of Congress and hoodwinking the late President Harding into arranging the leases of the naval oil reserves, by Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, Democratic candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination, in an interview with newspaper men here today.

Reed stopped here on his way to Missouri to begin his battle for the nomination.

More Than 400 Attend First Charity Ball

Event for Hospital, Welfare Board and Starving German Children Is Big Success

Last night's charity ball at W. O. W. Hall, sponsored by St. Mary's Social Guild, went over big—so big that it will probably be made an annual event. It is estimated that 400 persons were in attendance. The festivities opened about 9 o'clock with the grand march led by Mayor and Mrs. W. O. Garrett. Dancing was in vogue until the wee sma' hours and for those who did not care to dance tables were arranged in the smaller hall for cards. High five was played at fifteen tables and the game prizes were won by Mrs. Earl Barmann and H. J. Messbarger. The red tally cards were in the form of hatchets and the same emblems with cherries, flags, red, white and blue streamers and flowers prevailed in the decorations in both halls. The cut flowers and plants were donated by the Engelmann Greenhouses. Punch was served throughtout the evening and sandwiches, wafers and coffee were obtainable at an artistically decorated booth in the hall. Ralph Yehle and his newly organized orchestra made their first appearance and made a decided hit. The affair was attended by a number of out-of-town persons. The ball was also a success from a financial standpoint and the proceeds will be applied equally to the Maryville Welfare Board, St. Francis Hospital and the starving children of Germany.

AVIATOR FAILS IN ALTITUDE RECORD

REACHES HEIGHT OF 34,986 FEET TODAY

IS 2,000 FEET SHORT

Frenchman Still Holds World's Altitude Record of 36,745 Feet, Made on October 30, 1923

Dayton, Ohio, Feb. 22—Hopes that Lieut. John A. McGready had broken the world's altitude flight record today were clouded this afternoon when official observers calibrated the records and announced their findings that McGready had reached an altitude of 34,986 feet.

While the record will be officially checked at the bureau of standards in Washington, it is feared that early hopes of the aviator that he had broken the record were blasted.

Dayton, Ohio., Feb. 22—Soaring to a height unofficially estimated at 41,000 feet, Lieut. John A. McGready today established a new world's altitude mark, eclipsing by more than 4,000 feet, the official record of Sadi Lecointe, French aviator.

McGready, who began his flight at 9:47 o'clock Central time this morning, landed at the McCook field at 11:30 o'clock.

His instrumental readings will be sent to the bureau of standards at Washington, but officials expressed complete confidence that he had regained the altitude record for the American army flying service. Lecointe's record was officially reported as 36,745.

Dayton, Ohio, Feb. 22.—Lieut. John A. McGready, veteran of many record-making flights, started up in a LePere plane this morning at 9:27 o'clock Central time to set a record altitude mark.

Few spectators were present, as it was not known until 7 o'clock that McGready expected to celebrate Washington's birthday in this manner.

The machine passed out of sight at 9:45 o'clock. McGready's official record of 34,500 feet was made September 28, 1921. Sadi Lecointe, Frenchman, soared to 36,745 feet on October 30, 1923. The U. S. air service told McGready to get ready for another attempt to break the record. The attempt now under way is the result of orders from Washington.

The LaPere plane is equipped with a new moss super charger, which, it is said, feeds atmosphere to the motor up to an altitude of 35,000 feet.

Kutschinski to Speak at National Meeting

Former Director of Music at S. T. C. Will Give Address at Cincinnati in April

C. D. Kutschinski, supervisor of instrumental music, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, former music director at the State Teachers College, will speak at the national conference of music supervisors that will be held at Cincinnati, Ohio, April 7-11.

Mr. Kutschinski's address is "From the Standpoint of the Professional Instrumentalist." This announcement was listed in the February issue of the Music Supervisor's Journal. He is in division L which deals with "Training Instrumental Teachers." and will meet at the Odeon Music Hall with chairman John Beattie, director of Music, Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. Kutschinski will speak April 10.

Mary Gex Undergoes Blood Transfusion

Robert Gex, Jr., of Graham Gives Blood For Niece Now Confined In Ensworth Hospital.

Miss Mary Gex, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will B. Gex of Graham, who has been suffering hemorrhages from the nose and gums since an illness of measles several weeks ago, underwent a blood transfusion Wednesday at the Ensworth hospital in St. Joseph. The blood was procured from the young woman's uncle, Robert Gex, Jr., of Graham, and according to word received by Maryville relatives her condition is improved. She was taken to the St. Joseph hospital Tuesday morning and was very weak due to so much loss of blood. Previous to her illness she had been attending the State Teachers College.

Miss Margaret Donahue left this afternoon for St. Joseph, where she will visit over the week-end with her uncle, J. P. Farley, and family, and Miss Catherine Gartland.

Law Enforcement League Will Meet

Dr. O. B. Bishop and George W. Eastin, Both of St. Joseph, Will Address Meeting

Dr. O. B. Bishop of St. Joseph and George W. Eastin, an attorney, also of St. Joseph, will speak at the second meeting of the Nodaway County Law Enforcement League to be held in the circuit court room next Thursday night, H. W. Hull announced today.

There will be a special musical program at this meeting and the work of completing the organization will be accomplished.

"Everyone is cordially invited to this meeting," Mr. Hull said, "and all lovers of good government should be there."

RAY OF HOPE FOR WORLD WAR VETS

NUMBER OF PRISONERS MAY BE RELEASED

INVESTIGATION STARTS

Cases of All War Prisoners Now Confined in Leavenworth Will be Reviewed by Government Officials

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 22—Special investigators from the War Department today began their tasks of giving each of the 177 former service men, serving military sentences in the federal prison here a re-hearing.

Major F. R. Ross and Major James Stanfield are in charge of reviewing the cases.

The officers will communicate their findings in each case to John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, who will decide whether or not the men will remain in prison longer on the charges.

The numerous cases will be considered individually, probably five or six hours being consumed in each one of the re-hearings. Warden W. I. Biddle, who is co-operating with the military officers in reviewing the cases, expressed the belief that many of the former service men will be released after the findings of the investigators have been reported to Washington.

The hearings starting today were brought about through public pressure, numerous civic and patriotic organizations cited the fact that while slackers, I. W. W. members and "conscientous objectors" have already been released, many former service men who were convicted on petty crimes remain in prison.

Following the investigation at the federal prison, the investigators will move over to the disciplinary barracks where many more former service men are serving sentences by court martial. The cases of the Houston, Tex. rioters also will be heard.

To Attend Washington Celebration Tonight

L. M. Eek, commander, and Murray Welling, adjutant, James Edward Gray Post No. 100 of the American Legion, will go to St. Joseph today to attend a George Washington celebration of the Malcolm MacDonald Post of the American Legion there this evening.

Dale Bellows Judge at Chicago Show

Dale Bellows returned this morning from Chicago where he was one of the judges at the Shorthorn Congress Show, held in that city Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Following the show, about 200 head of Shorthorns were sold. Mr. Bellows was the guest of his brother, Charles Bellows, Jr., and his cousin, H. H. Bellows and family.

Bell Telephone Lines Now in Good Repair

All of the wires of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. out of Maryville are in good repair, it was announced today by the local office. The heavy sleet storm of last Saturday and Sunday caused considerable damage to the long distance wires, especially north from Maryville.

Mr. Corwin to Rochester.

C. C. Corwin, accompanied by Mrs. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae Corwin, expects to leave next Tuesday for Rochester, Minn., where he will enter the Mayo hospital for treatment. Mr. Corwin has been confined to his home by illness for about three weeks. His condition was improved today.

DAUGHERTY THINKS IT'S A GREAT LIFE

"BUT I AM NOT WEAKENING," HE SAYS TODAY.

'I NEVER HAVE QUIT YET'

Attorney-General Pays Surprise Visit to Senate This Morning—Creates Stir.

Washington, Feb. 22.—"I have been through many wars and I have lost some fights, but I have never quit yet and I do not intend to quit now."

This statement was made to International News this afternoon by Harry M. Daugherty, Attorney-General, as he sat in the Senate chamber calmly surveying the battle grounds where efforts are being made to oust him from the cabinet.

Paying a surprise visit to the Senate, there was a noticeable stir in the galleries and on the floor when he quietly entered and took a seat in the rear to listen to his chief defender, Senator Willis of Ohio, read Washington's farewell address.

The Attorney-General's visit to the Senate was not in any way connected with the fight being waged there to compel his retirement, but his appearance caused little less than a sensation until it was explained that he had come to hear Willis read his address. The reading of Washington's farewell address is an annual event and is an honor much sought among the Senators.

"I promised Senator Willis I would be here and I always keep my word," Daugherty said.

"It is a great life if you don't weaken, and I am not weakening," he smilingly added.

The Attorney-General declined to discuss the charges against him or comment in any way.

"Will you reply to Senator Wheeler's charges that you dealth extensively in Sinclair oil stock?" he was asked.

"Yes, at the proper time and under oath, I will reply. Right now, I won't even admit I worked in a grocery store thirty-five years ago."

A number of Republicans strolled over to shake hands with Daugherty and to chat a moment, among them being Senator David Elkins, Republican of West Virginia, who has admitted he has dealt in Sinclair oil stock.

Some Publicity for Income Tax Returns

Certain House and Senate Committees to Receive Information from Internal Revenue Department

Washington, Feb. 22.—The way was opened this afternoon for partial publicity of income tax returns, after rejection of a proposal by Representative Frear, Wisconsin Republican, to make the returns available to the public, the House by a vote of 148 to 139 decided that the returns should be made public to the Senate finance committee, the House ways and means committee and others that handle revenue legislation.

Twelve M. U. Students are Expelled Today

Four Girls are Included in Number Dismissed from Institution—Violations at Formal Party

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 22—Twelve students of the University of Missouri, including four girls, were expelled from the University today as a result of an investigation into charges concerning a formal party of the Gamma Beta Phi sorority last Friday night.

The students concerned were notified by special delivery letter today, which were signed by Woodson Canada, registrar. Some of the letters are understood to have provided for temporary dismissal, but one is for final suspension.

According to members of the disciplinary committee, one man is said to have been intoxicated while others were found guilty of flagrant violations concerning hours.

The students expelled were: Helen Adams, Norborne, Mo.

Lorraine Bush, Doris Gwyne, Doris Cuddy, Elwyn Bridgens, all of Kansas City, John Ryan of New York City, Wynne Casteel of Columbia, James Gittenger of Liberty, Mo., Ward Goodlow of St. Louis, William Lowell, Albert McDonald and Robert Rothschild of Kansas City.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Increasing cloudiness; rain or snow by Saturday; warmer.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

To Hold Examinations for Postmasterships

According to a dispatch from Washington, the United States Civil Service Commission has been requested to hold examinations of applicants for appointments as postmasters in a number of towns in Missouri. Included in the list are Clyde, Grant City, King City and Princeton.

LONE VALLEY ECHOES.

The sleet did some damage to trees and telephone lines in this vicinity.

Chas. Pierson and Dale took dinner at J. H. Carmichael's Monday.

Wm. Keith hauled corn to Frank Ulmer last week.

Several attended the Gray-Watts sale Tuesday.

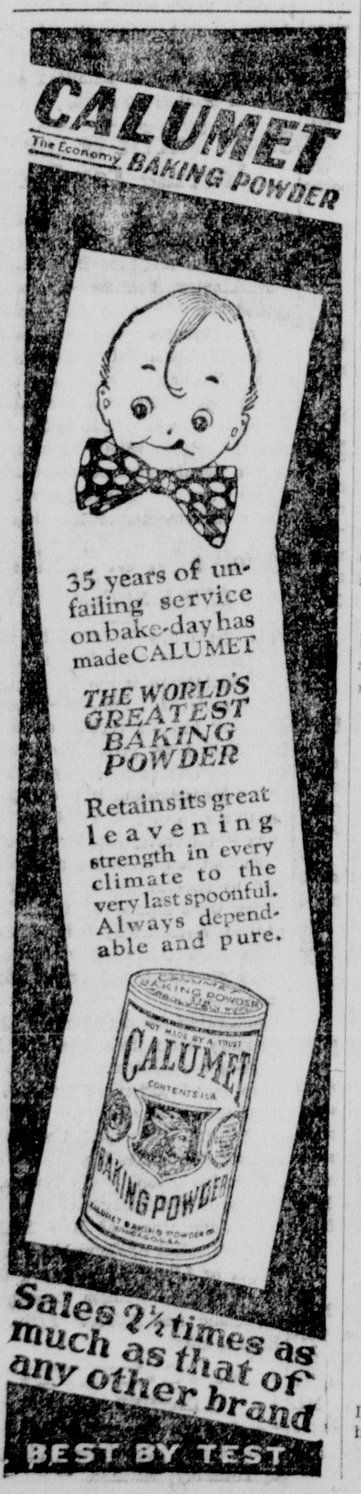
Will Ritter and Riley Carmichael helped Rhode Carmichael butcher on Tuesday.

The school board has purchased lumber for the vitalized agriculture class to make chicken feeders.

Miss Zoe Keith is sick with the measles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rant Holmes at Hopkins.

A number of neighbors and friends spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Neal, it being Mrs. Neal's 58th birthday. A 1 o'clock dinner was served and the afternoon was spent socially with a number of readings given by the guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Pelt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, Mrs. Harry Zook, Mrs. Joe Workman and Mrs. John Kneisley.

The L. V. S. R. Community Club will meet with Mrs. Riley Carmichael on Feb. 27, at which time the quilt on which they have been working will be set together and plans made for an all-day quilting at Workman Chapel, some time in March.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BEST BY TEST

Central Debate Team Defeats Maysville

The St. Joseph Central debating team won a two to one decision over the Maysville team in a debate held yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph. The Central team had the affirmative side of the question.

L. L. St. Clair principal of Maryville High School, was one of the judges of the debate.

Depot at B. Jct. Entered Last Monday Night

(Burlington Junction Post)

Some party or parties who got little for their trouble broke into the depot office Monday night or early Tuesday morning. Thirteen cents was all the money that had been left in the cash drawer and the thief must have not been superstitious, for it was missing the next morning. A traveling bag belonging to S. W. Harris, second trick operator was also broken open and almost ruined and a $3.50 pair of goggles taken from it. A jacket belonging to Mr. Harris was also missing.

The robbery was committed sometime between 11 o'clock Monday night and five o'clock the next morning. During those hours there is no one in the office, but the waiting room is left open.

E. G. Young Wabash detective of Kansas City and Mr. Slater of Stanberry, also a Wabash detective were here Tuesday investigating the robbery and arrested three young men on suspicion, but as they had no evidence against them they were released after a questioning.

Nodaway County Stockmen at St. Joe

S. R. Dobbins, Nodaway County sold 26 steers, 1261 lbs at $8.70, at the St. Joseph market Thursday.

Other Nodaway County stockmen represented on Thursday's market with consignments of stock were Joe Holker, Albert Neidle, Arthur Collins, Jas. M. Vert, U. S. Wright, Elmer Froyd and Corrough & Co.

Daylight your kitchen

Geneva Maxine McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDowell announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital. The baby has been named Geneva Maxine.

Marriage License

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to George R. Williams and Madge V. McGinness, both of Pickering.

Funeral for Miller Baby Today

Funeral services for the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Miller who died yesterday morning, were held at 12:30 o'clock today at the Miller home, southwest of Maryville. The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass officiated and burial was in Miriam cemetery.

Robert Kinman of Elmo was admitted to St. Francis hospital for treatment last night.

Mrs. Frank Cummins and little son, Billy, went to Des Moines, Ia., this morning to spend two weeks at the home of Mrs. Cummins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Muelhaupt.

Miss Lillian James, who teaches in the Lafayette High School in St. Joseph, came last night to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James, over the week end.

J. Kirker Sawyers, Jr., who is attending the State University at Columbia, returned home this morning for a few days' visit.

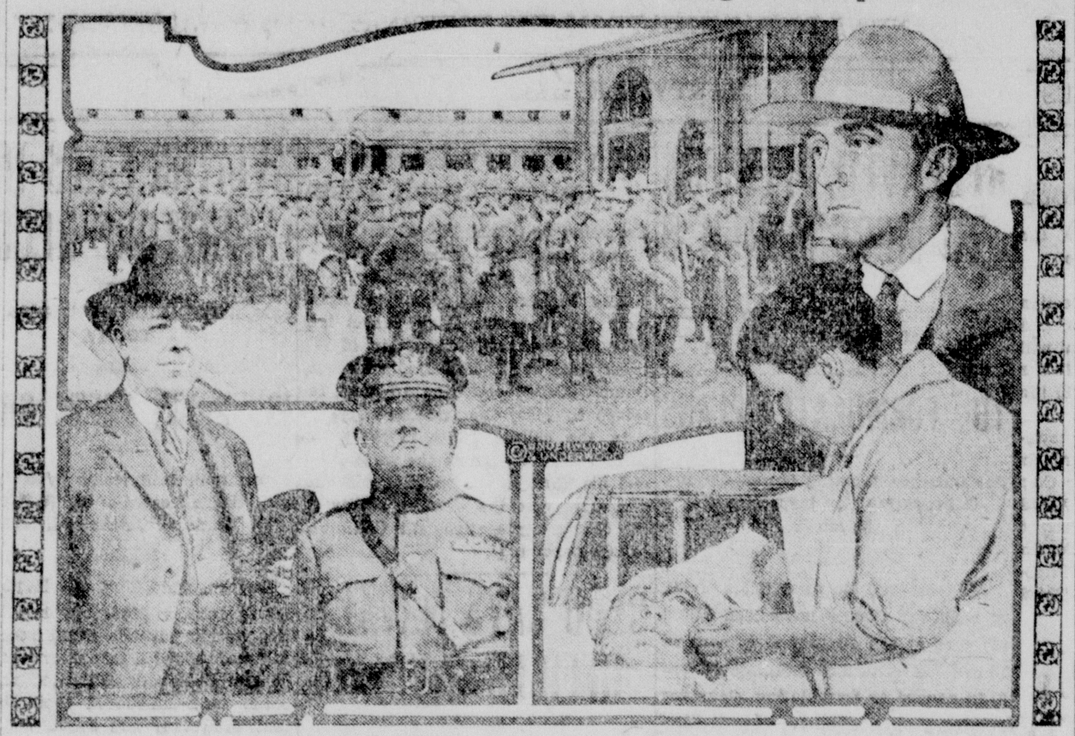
Mrs. Harold Seleeman left this morning for her home in Des Moines, Ia., after a visit at the home of Mr. Seleeman's mother, Mrs. S. G. Seleeman.

EGYPT'S PREMIER

A studio portrait study of Yehia Ibrahaim Pasha, premier of Egypt, in his official dress.

Daylight your kitchen

Herrin Reduced to Quiet After Chicago Troops Arrive



This illustration shows, above, the arrival of the One Hundred and Thirty-second Infantry of Chicago in Herrin, Ill., and below, left to right: Adjutant General Black; Major General Foreman, in command; John S. Layman, one of the victims of the rioting, in the hospital with his nurse; and S. Glenn Young, leader of the rum raiders who was deposed as acting police chief and sent out of town. General Foreman ordered the town and surrounding country entirely disarmed.

A FARMER'S PROPOSAL.

Anselmmo, Nebr., Feb. 22 — Let the county agent organize the rural population. President Coolidge told us in his message that the farmers should help themselves.

I would propose that the county agents throughout the state organize the rural population in their respective counties into an organization broad enough to include all farmers and business men in the county.

Each city or town, with its trade territory, would be a unit on the same principles as miners or railroad men are organized.

The purpose of the organization should be not to sell anything they produce for less than cost, plus a reasonable profit.

To sell only through the regular channels of trade and not form any buying or selling agencies.

The bankers and store keepers to assist through extending credit to farmers to hold their produce until they get a fair price.

The organization, through its officers, county, state or national, to suggest the price on all products sold, using as a basis for cost the figures furnished by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

You may claim there would be a surplus of grain to force the price down, but if the farmer would get a fair price for what he sells he would be able to hold a few hundred bushels until needed.

If the people were willing, the county agents could organize their counties inside of a month; then the farmers withhold their products from the market for a few weeks and not sell anything until the price would be where it should be. I believe two weeks would be long enough. That would give the farmer buying power and money to pay his debts, which would be a benefit to the whole country.

The organization should be absolutely nonpolitical. You may say there are now many farmers' organizations, why start more?

The answer is: They either buy or sell co-operatively or are political, and everybody can't support them. We need an organization that nearly everybody can support.

I have been a member of the Farmers' Union for about 10 years. It is a good organization in its way, but where would a country editor be if he urged farmers in his community to join them? LOUIS SCHMIDT.

SWINFORD ITEMS

Miss Leona Whorton spent Monday night with Miss Agnes Lutgen.

Glenn, Arden and George Swinford and Henry Lutgen repaired their telephone line Monday.

Dean Swinford and Raymond O'Donnell were absent from school this week. They have the measles.

A large number attended the sale of Ines Anderson Tuesday.

Miss Leona Whorton spent the week-end with home folks.

Glen Allen moved from Ramey's to work for Walter Coulter Tuesday.

Catherine and Jane Lutgen were absent from school Monday.

George Fannon was absent from school Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Pat O'Donnell set her incubator last week and some hens.

Among those who attended a coasting party on Long Branch hill were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conlin, Arden Swinford, Marie Swinford, Jane Lutgen, Miss Leona Whorton, Miss Agnes Lutgen, Miss Mae Conlin, Miss Grace Smith, Freddie Hansen, Truman Pash, Rich Lutgen, Wilton Swinford, Marvin and Donald Swinford.

Harmony

(School News.

S. C. Richeson, high school inspector, and County Supt. L. G. Somerville were visitors at our school Tuesday forenoon. Mr. Richeson expressed himself as pleased with the school spirit of our students and the community in general. Our school is, perhaps, the only strictly first class rural high school in Nodaway County, and is fully approved for sixteen units. Supt. Somerville will inspect the grade school in the near future.

Miss Lorene Simmons has been absent from classes the last few days, because of sickness.

A recent oiling has greatly improved the floors of the high school building.

Mrs. Coffelt visited school at Champaign last Thursday.

Our school flag was flown at half-mast last week in honor of the memory of President Wilson.

Fay Woodson Null, who was out of school last week with la grippe is back in his classes.

PERSONALS.

John Anderson lost a valuable horse in an accidental manner last Thursday.

R. V. McKee and wife and Cecil Lawson were transacting business in Maryville last Friday.

Mrs. Wilson of Stanberry has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Anderson, the past few weeks.

Lorene and Beulah Simmons visited at the home of Leatha and Lucile Lawson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Lawson, Garfield Hooker, Glenn, Leatha and Lucile Lawson visited at the home of Robert Simmons Tuesday. The evening was passed in popping corn and making candy.

Mrs. J. E. Porter, who has been quite ill with cold and attendant symptoms, is somewhat improved.

Owing to the storm Sunday morning no services were held.

GREEN VALLEY NEWS.

There were only ten at school Monday on account of bad weather. But there was a much better attendance Tuesday.

Mrs. Peter Meyer returned home Friday. She has been in the hospital at Maryville taking treatment.

Miss Beatrice Woods and brother, Charles, spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Farnan's.

John N. Schieber and sons, Joseph and Lawrence, were visiting John Stoll's Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Woods spent Friday afternoon at Miss Helen Ellerman's.

Angelus and Julius Ellerman visited at the home of Barney Eickholt Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Cain spent the week-end at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Heflin near Ravenwood.

Miss Anna Ellerman spent Friday afternoon at C. F. Farnan's.

The agriculture class is studying about poultry now. They are going to cull some chickens Thursday.

LONG BRANCH NEWS.

Miss Jennie McMahon was an all-day visitor at Long Branch school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Birkenholz and son, Junior spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Heflin.

Alex Grimit and Dave Heflin were shoppers in Parnell Monday.

Roy Tuttle hauled hogs for Will Lett Monday.

Will McMahon baled hay Friday.

Dale Blanton spent Sunday afternoon with Richard Heflin.

Alex Grimit attended the sale of Gray and Watt, north of Maryville Tuesday, where he purchased seventeen head of Hereford cattle.

Mrs. Dick McMahon and daughter, Eldora spent Sunday with Mrs. Lucy Blakeman of Orrsburg.

George Alexander and Will McMahon did their butchering last week.

Miss Eldora McMahon spent Wednesday night with Viola Krugh.

Ira Kelley and Dick McMahon attended the Tom Latimer sale Tuesday.

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Will McMahon and daughter, Jennie, were shoppers in Maryville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield were called to Maysville by the serious illness of their grandchild, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Leech. The child is much improved so Mr. Bloomfield returned home. Mrs. Bloomfield is visiting in Kansas with her sister for a few days before she returns.

BELL GROVE ITEMS.

Lawrence Jackson is out of school with the measles.

Mr. Manley shipped cattle to St. Joseph Monday.

The severe storm broke many limbs and trees in our school yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey and children Marjorie, Douglas and Agnes visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dempsey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kime and children, Nina, Thelma and Chester, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartlett Sunday afternoon.

Margaret and Francis Myers came back to school Monday. Robert Meyrs came back to school Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz and son, Walter visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz Sunday.

Douglas and Marjorie Dempsey were absent from school Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz were entertained at the Tuesday Night Bridge Club at the home of Mr and Mrs. Emmett Scott.

Onge Nielsen visited his parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Nielsen.

The hot lunches are progressing nicely for the past month in our school.

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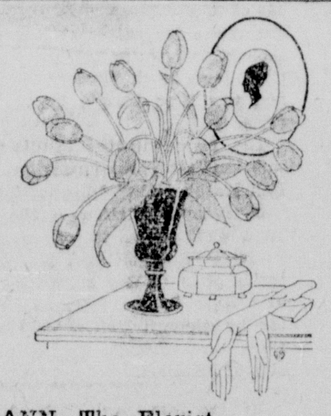

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SOCIETY

Meet Tomorrow

The Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist Church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. LeGrand Gann, 355 East Fourth street

Coasting Party

A company of eighteen young people of Wilcox enjoyed a coasting party Tuesday evening. They later went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Haggerty where the rest of the evening was spent in games. Refreshments of popcorn and apples were served. Those present were Misses Guelda Kable, Amanda Knisley, Ivoree Knisley, Ella Marjorie Shell, Mary Penny, Pauline Hall, Frances Shell, Rebecca Shell, Cecile Howard, Edna Morton, Bessie Morton, and Mr. Knisley, Milan Shell, Harry Sloan, Carl Winnel, Harry Winnel and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Haggerty.

Hosts to Lasher Club

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Honer entertained the Lasher Community Club at a George Washington party Wednesday night. The house decorations were in keeping with the season. Progressive games were played at six tables and Miss Nellie Strauch and Fred Ager were the prize winners. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Will Dempsey, Mrs. Helen Strauch and Miss Ella O'Grady. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Job, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ager and daughter, Mrs. Helen Strauch, Misses Ella O'Grady, Karle Parker, Helen Dempsey, Mary Sawyers, Nellie Strauch, Lucile Masters, and Will O'Grady, Howard Masters, Glenn McGinnis, Ray Masters, Carol Hogan, Ulysses Rasnic, Otis Schenkel, Ernest Schenkel, Floyd Bailey, and Robert Strauch.

The regular meeting of the club will be held Wednesday afternoon, February 27, with Mrs. Joe Honer. All members are requested to be present at this meeting.

Farewell Party for Thompsons.

Monday evening the adult classes of the Christian church met at the M. W. A. hall and gave a party as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. W. Ed Thompson, who will leave for their new home in Maryville about the first of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have many friends in Barnard especially in the Christian Church where they have been active in church and social work since coming to Barnard about five years ago.

Forty-six were present to enjoy a social evening with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and a good time was enjoyed by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gorsuch, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Goff and daughter, Winifred, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roelofson, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Benson and daughter, Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Keenan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, Mr. and Mrs. John Tulloch, Mesdames R. R. Smith, Nellie Stephens, Lavona Burns, Dean Campbell, Floyd Westfall, Misses Rena Goff, Mamie Alkire, Jessie Goforth and L. D. Goforth, Clyde Perkins, Ray Davis and the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

A short talk was made by Ed Adams in behalf of the church in which he told of the work the Thompsons had done in the church, and in the community, and expressed the hope that they would fit in with the people wherever they might be, as well as they have done with the people of Barnard. Mr. Thompson responded saying he and the family had each appreciated the way they had been treated in their stay in Barnard and while he believed that they would find friends where they went, they never would forget the friends of Barnard.—Barnard Bulletin.

Valentine Party

Misses Elva Aley and Mildred Wray entertained the Platonic Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church at a Valentine party last night at the home of the former on South Main street. Hearts were used in decorating the rooms and Valentine ideas were carried out in the refreshments. Hearts were played at two tables and music was an additional feature. Those present were Mrs. Emmett Scott, teacher of the class, and Misses Bernice Howard, Elizabeth Wilkerson, Catherine Remus, Mary Curnutt, Dorothy Dow, Hope Moore, and the hostesses.

R. N. I. C. Club

The members of the R. N. I. C. Club were entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Claude Stults on East Fourth street, with Mrs. Ellwood Barrett as assisting hostess. The meeting was in charge of the president; Mrs. A. J. Bleuel. After the business meeting the time was spent socially and refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. Charles Alexander, Mrs. Charles Butler, Mrs. A. J. Bleuel, Mrs. L. A. Conder, Mrs. Steve Donahue, Mrs. Ernest Glover, Mrs. F. C. Kelley, Mrs. Maggie Lahr, Mrs. Grace Masters, Mrs. J. H. Thorp, Mrs. Gene Powell, Mrs. Florence Westfall, Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. O. S. Wilson, the hostesses, and the following new members, Mrs. George Bramble, Mrs. D. O. Belt, Mrs. C. E. Williams and Mrs. T. J. Williams. Mrs. F. C. Kelley and Mrs. D. O. Belt will be hostesses at the next meeting March 20 at the home of the former.

Leap Year Party.

The Victorian Literary Society of the Maryville High School gave a leap year party last night at the home of Miss Harriett Miller, 222 South Main Street. Half of the girls impersonated boys and acted as beaux for the others. The evening was spent in games and prizes were won by Miss Maud Masters and Miss Mozella Dinsmore. Refreshments were served and assisting the hostesses were Ruth and Vivian Miller. Prizes of powder puffs were awarded the best and most comical looking boys who were Misses Mildred Tebow and Gertrude Wray. Miss Elsie Wright received honorable mention. Those present were Misses Elsie Wright, Florence Wray, Cleo King, Cleola Dawson, Gertrude Wray, Leola Miller, Clydia Bratcher, Mable Craig, Betty Seleeman and her guest, Mrs. Harold Seleeman of Des Moines, Ia.; Harriett Miller, Neola Smith, Allene Bolin, Nellie Smith, Virginia Tulloch, Virginia Curnutt, Virginia Nicholas, Nellie Russell, Mary Ellen Kendall, Jean Miller, Emma Ryan, Jessie Demott, Opal Holt, Mildred Tebow, Manellia Dick, Tama Carlson, Zola Colwell, Zela Colwell, Mary Todd, Mildred Carlson, Evelyn Evans, Doris Wallace, Christine Debord, Margaret Overmire, Beverly Martin, Mildred Wiles, Winifred Baker, Lucile Snyder, Helen Geist, Nettie Russell, Mozella Dinsmore, Charmian Murray, Alice Nelson, Verneta Moore, Grace Kessler and Martha Glover.

B. B. Club

The B. B. Club of the Scudder neighborhood met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Marion Ripley. The day was spent in needlework and socially. Six members were present. The club will meet Thursday, February 28, at the home of Mrs. Don Kingery, when all members are urged to be present.

McGinness-Williams.

Miss Madge V. McGinness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver McGinness of Pickering, and George R. Williams, also of Pickering, were married yesterday afternoon in Maryville. The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the Christian Church performed the ceremony at 4:30 o'clock in the rest rooms. The couple was accompanied by the bride's aunt, Mrs. C. T. Carmichael, and Mr. Carmichael, of Pickering.

Entertains at Dinner.

Miss Gertrude Garrett was hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner last evening at her home on East Fourth street in honor of Tom Taylor of Liberal, Kansas, the guest of her brother, Arthur Garrett. Covers were also laid for Miss Pauline Eckert, Miss Louise Weller, Ellis Meek, and Mayor and Mrs. W. O. Garrett. Mr. Taylor left this morning for his home after a several days' visit at the Garrett home.

Eurekan Dinner.

In celebration of its victory in the recent inter-society contest, the Eurekan Literary Society of the State Teachers College gave a 6 o'clock dinner last evening at Residence Hall. Twenty-five members were in attendance and Dean Edith Barnard was a guest. Following the dinner a program was presented with James Sherer as toastmaster. These toasts were given: "Excellence," Miss Charlotte Lemon; "United," C. T. Richards; "Reward," Robert Birbeck; "Enthusiasm," Miss Mary Coe; "Knowledge," Miss Ruby Goodwin; "Amiability," Conrad Blackman; "Necessity," Miss Dorothy England; and "Success," Richard Baker. The following officers were elected for the ensuing semester: President, Ermil Coler; vice-president, Miss Mary Coe; secretary, Miss Dorothy England; and treasurer, Robert Nicholas. Mrs. Harold O'Banion is the retiring president. The party later attended the picture show at the Empire Theater.

H. Miller Is Elected H. S. Senior President

Harold Miller was elected president of the beginning senior class for the ensuing school year. The election of officers was held this morning. Lucile Gaugh was elected vice-president of the class, Ruth Hughes secretary and Marvin Westfall treasurer.

Miss Laura B. Hawkins is the class sponsor.

Dr. Cline Operated On

Dr. Cline went to Rochester, Minn., last Thursday to undergo an operation. He was operated on Tuesday morning and is getting along very nicely. Dr. Morgan accompanied him as far as Des Moines.—Skidmore News.

CONCEPTION JUNCTION.

Miss Mareatha Nichols has been ill with tonsilitis for the past week, but now able to be back in school.

The Philomethean Literary Society gave a February program Friday, February 22. The following numbers were given:

Song by the Society, "Star Spangled Banner."

How February got its name—Artie McMackin.

February holidays and anniversaries—Charley Thompson.

Recitation—Dorothy Martin.

Vocal duet—Leon Hines and Orville Hedges.

Flower and Birthstone of February—Francis McMackin.

Recitation—Lena Winston.

Famous Birthdays in February, discussed by—Agnes Gill, Claude Minteer, Harry Flora, Hermon Parrott, Leonard Dennis, Liona Davis, Marguerite Lea, Velma Weathermon.

Recitation—Marguerite Lea.

Ten great events that happened in February—Jesse Jones.

Recitation—Hermon Parrott.

What to look for out of doors in February—Alma Martin.

Recitation—Lottie Leininger.

Newspaper—Dorothy Martin.

Short play, "A Lapse of Memory," by Dorothy Martin, Lottie Leininger and Orville Hedges.

Song—America.

The pupils of the high school and grammar grades gave a coasting party and wiener roast Tuesday evening at 7:30. The crowd went to the Schaffers hill, where the coasting was fine. Coasting was enjoyed until about 9:00 o'clock, when the fun of roasting wieners began. All had a splendid time. Those present were: The Misses Blanche Silvers, Garland Groom, Faye Knisley, Jessie Summers, Edith Giles, Lottie Leininger, Katheryn Noah, Gwendolyn Leininger, Mrs. England and Mrs. Dowdy. The Messrs Charley Thompson, Claude Thompson, Jesse Jones, Orville Hedges, Emmett Tannehill, Harry Noah, Roy Cannon, Hermon Parrott, Claude Minteer, Leonard Dennis, Donald Proctor, Shelby Ingram, and Eugene Veach.

Miss Jessie Summers, primary teacher, returned to school Monday after being absent two weeks on account of the flu. We are glad to see her with us once more.

The seniors are now practicing on their play.

The sophomores are beginning the study of Goldsmith and his "Deserted Village."

Mrs. Leo Dennis is ill with the mumps this week.

Miss Blanche Silvers visited her cousin, Mrs. Jack Farnan in Maryville Friday evening and Saturday morning.

Mrs. H. D. Giles and daughter, Edith were visiting in Waterloo last week.

MYRTLE TREE ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parent were at their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parent February 18-19.

Miss Lola O'Day was obliged to return to Parnell by rail Sunday on account of the bad roads.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Charles a girl, Luella Jane, on Tuesday, Feb. 19. Dr. Frank Wallis was the attending physician.

Mrs. Charles is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freece.

Forrest Dowden and John Dowden will leave next Wednesday, Feb. 27, for Iowa with a carload of mules.

Miss Grace Weismantel was a visitor of Miss Anna and Agnes O'Connell.

Miss Grace Weismantel and Agnes O'Connell were visitors Friday afternoon at Myrtle Tree school.

The phone lines are in bad condition. No one can get central.

LIBERTY SCHOOL, DIST. 156

Chester Mathers was in St. Joseph Monday on business. The family will move to St. Joseph about the first of March where he will work the coming year. We are sorry to lose the family from this district.

Bloom Bros. sawed wood for Preston Curnutt and Chester Mathers Tuesday.

Emmett Nielson and Elmer Nelson spent Sunday with Elbert Schmidt.

W. T. Throckmorton shipped hogs to St. Joseph Sunday.

Miss Esther Schmidt is helping Mrs. Tapscott move this week.

Jim Nielson, Alvin Nelson and son, Wayne, were Sunday evening visitors at Enoch Byergo's.

Jerald and Paul Schrader and Miss Marguerite Maher were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of A. D. Reardon.

Joseph Maher spent Sunday afternoon with Joseph Corrigan.

James Lowe butchered hogs Wednesday.

Pete Bloom, Noah Nelson, Paul and Joe Schrader and Misses Maggie and Mayme Bloom and Joseph Maher spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corrigan and Miss Celesta Caylor.

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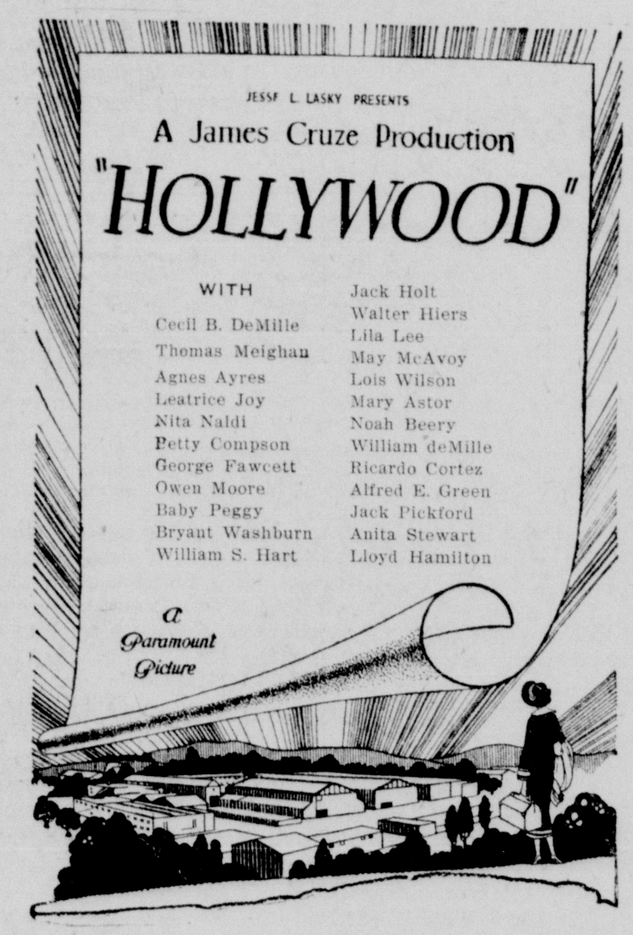

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This statement, made by Mrs. Jennie Reeves, highly esteemed resident of 814 Harrison Ave., Kansas City, will be received with keen interest and gratification by her hundreds of friends and acquaintances, not only in Kansas City but in other sections of the state where she is well known. Many of Mrs. Reeves' friends already know of her remarkable restoration by the use of Karnak after many years of deporable health, but to express it in her own words, "there are thousands of others who may be helped back to health by telling them of my own recovery and I consider it my duty to let them know about it."

"I suffered for four years such a bad case of stomach trouble, weak spells and nervousness that I thought my end was near," stated Mrs. Reeves, "and although I spent hundreds of dollars on treatments and medicines I grew gradually weaker and suffered more and more as the months dragged by. Everything I ate caused me agony from indigestion for hours afterward, and my nerves seemed strained to the breaking point all the time. Frequently the weak, dizzy spells were so severe that I thought surely it would be the last of me and to add to my burden of suffering I would have the most terrible headaches anyone was ever called on to bear.

"At night I would often lie awake until the small hours of the morning, too weak and miserable to sleep—just lie there suffering and wondering if there was a medicine in the world that would help me. I guess I was about the most miserable and discouraged woman in Kansas City and had about lost all hope of ever being my old self again.

"Then one day a friend told me about Karnak and advised me to try it and I will always bless the day I did, for four bottles of the medicine have made me a well and happy woman again. It is the one and only medicine that ever helped me, and to say that I am overjoyed by the results expresses my feelings but mildly. I eat three hearty meals every day without a trace of indigestion, and I sleep all night long as soundly and restfully as a healthy child. The nervousness is entirely gone and I never have the headache any more. I get up every morning feeling fresh and eager for the day's work and pleasures, just like I used to years ago.

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BEST TWO OUT OF THREE

To be Held at the College Gymnasium —Both Men Contenders for World's Championship

The James Edward Gray Post, No. 100, of the American Legion has again scheduled a wrestling match to be held at the State Teachers College gymnasium at 8:30 o'clock next Tuesday evening, February 26. This time the Legion has secured two men of equal weight, both claimants of the world's middle weight championship.

Ralph Parcaut of Oskaloosa, Ia., who has met and defeated the best, with grapple for the best two out of three falls with Dr. Karl Furness, a medical student at University of Chicago.

Karl Furness won much favor with the wrestling fans of Maryville and vicinity on December 18, last, when he was forced to forfeit his match to Krieger that night after being injured. Both men had each secured a fall and his exhibition was that of a clean wrestler. Last summer Furness wrestled Johnny Meyers, the present holder of the middleweight championship, two hours to a draw.

Ralph Parcaut is known in the Middle West to be one of the top-notchers. He is about the only man who has thrown Johnny Meyers in the last two years. Just before Meyers won his claim to the title Parcaut put Meyers to the mat. He has defeated Mervin Barackman, the match being held at Clarinda, Ia., recently and Parcaut won in two straight falls. Parcaut also gives exhibitions displaying great strength.

A preliminary will in all probability be held between two local youths. Dr. D. J. Thomas will officiate at the match.

2 H. S. Games Tonight

TONIGHT'S LINE-UP.

Maryville—		Excelsior Springs—
Ogden	forward	King
Chick	forward	Prather
Bush	center	McGaugh
Miller or Cockayne	guard	Waters
Willoughby	guard	Richardson

Vivian Marsh, coach of the Excelsior Springs basketball team, arrived in Maryville this noon with seven members of the Springs basketball squad. The court stars that made the trip are as follows: McGaugh, King, Prather, Waters, Richardson, Robertson and Offat.

Announcement was made this morning that Lavelle ("Chuggy") Smith, captain of the Spoofhound quintet, has been declared ineligible by the faculty on account of his scholastic standing. He will be ineligible until next week when he will be allowed to make up his work. Smith will be out of the line-up tonight and tmorrow in the games up tonight and tomorrow in the games Chick has been appointed acting captain.

Tonight the Maryville High School girls' sextet plays its last game of the season before the tournament at the State Teachers College next week. The local girls' team will play the Parnell girls basket shooters.

The Spoofhounds will meet the Excelsior Springs High School quintet in the first of a two-game series, this tilt to be contested after the girls' game. The Spoofhounds will also play the Springs team tomorrow night. All these games will be held at the High School gymnasium.

What the Spoofhound Boosters Have to Say

S. M. Stanley, Paul Kuchs, F. P. Reuillard, Bert Raines, Charles Jensen, William Dreyer and Randolph Holt, known as enthusiastic Spoofhound boosters, wish to authorize the statement that the two games tonight and the game tomorrow night will be three of the best High School games played on the local court this season and warrant the whole-hearted support of all the citizens of Maryville; not only in thought but by actual presence at the games.

The Democrat-Forum is in full accord with these men, believing that nothing would be more fitting than a crowded gymnasium tonight and tomorrow to encourage Coach Harold G. Ebert's Spoofhounds and Mrs. Virgil Rathbun's girls' team to victories in these games.

Jayhawkers Defeat Grinnell 37 to 22

The Kansas Jayhawkers continued their winning streak on the Northern tour, defeating Grinnell last night in a Missouri Valley Conference game 37 to 22. The Kansas quintet meets the Iowa Aggies at Ames tonight.

Other games tonight are: Washington at Nebraska and Illinois at Iowa.

Bethany and Albany to Have Golf Clubs

Bethany and Albany are talking about organizing golf clubs. At Bethany, arrangements have been made to lease a thirty-five acre tract of land near that town for a course. According to the Bethany Clipper, W. M. Tyner, president of the club, had a communication recently from the Maryville Country Club in regard to the organization of a district association, to be made up of towns in Northwest Missouri, with the idea in view of holding a district tournament each year. The Bethany paper says local golf enthusiasts seem to be favorable to the plan and probably will help in the formation of an association.

The Albany Ledger says a meeting was held last Thursday to organize a golf club at Albany. Those in attendance at the meeting were practically unanimous in going on with the organization.

Asks for a Parole for Dewey Leonard

(Burlington Junction Post)

A petition circulated this week asking for the parole of Dewey Leonard by his father, bears one hundred eighteen signatures. It seems to be the sense if those who signed the petition, that Leonard should be paroled subject to a strict accountability to some responsible citizen or directly to the city council, who will insist upon regularity of work, and that all or a large part of all money earned during the period of parole shall go directly to the support of dependents.

The petition for parole will be presented to Judge Dawson for his consideration with request that the parole be granted upon such conditions as stated above.

RED PEPPER HEAT ENDS RHEUMATISM

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Have Kidneys Examined By Your Doctor

Take Salts to Wash Kidneys if Back Pains You or Bladder Bothers

Flush your kidneys by drinking a quart of water each day, also take salts occasionally, says a noted authority, who tells us that too much rich food forms acids which almost paralyze the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken; then you may suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

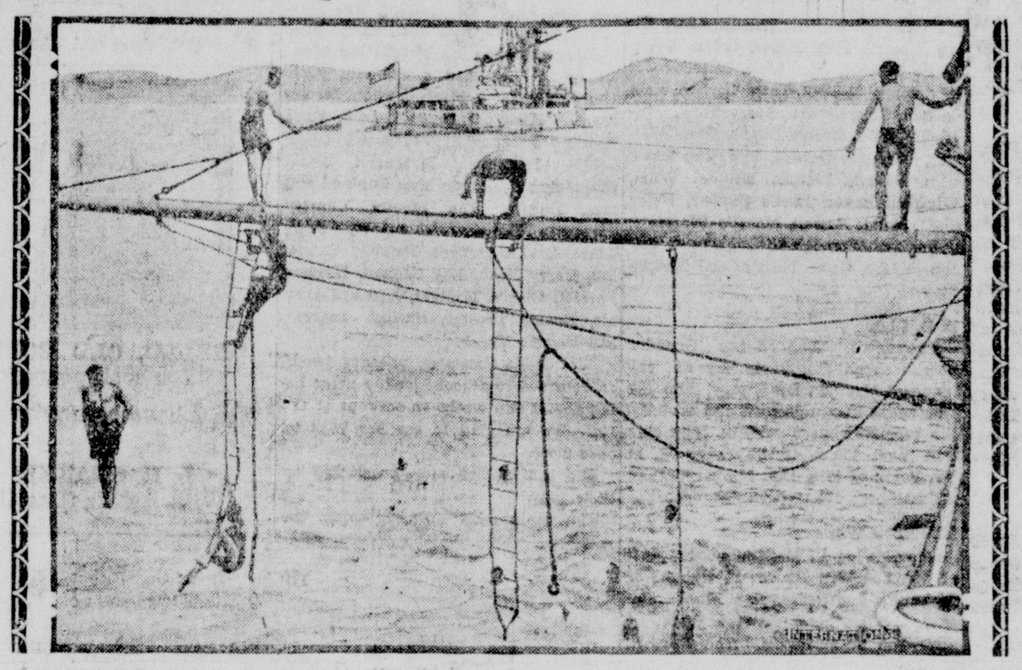
To help neutralize these irritating acids, to help cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

Gen. Wood Suppresses Igorrote Dog Market

This may not look like a meat market, but it was, for the lean dogs were destined to furnish steaks and chops for Igorrote households. It is a view of the dog market at Baguio, Philippine Islands, which was recently suppressed by Governor General Wood. The women, of course, are just tourists.

Gobs Having a Good Time in Southern Waters



The gobs are having a good time during the winter maneuvers of the fleet in southern waters. Some of them are here seen diving from the flagship.

Gave All Their Clothing to Disabled Veterans

Forty-six members of the Inglewood Lions' Club of Los Angeles had a lot of explaining to do when they returned to their homes, as above, clad only in rough barrels and California sunshine. As a result of a speech made by their president, Bruce Dixon, at their weekly luncheon, they gave everything they wore to the disabled war veterans at the California hut. Enough clothing and valuables were collected to supply the needs of one hundred veterans

Basketball

DOUBLE HEADER

TONIGHT!

—See—

THE SPOOFHOUNDS Play EXCELSIOR SPRINGS

And the M. H. S. GIRLS Play PARNELL GIRLS

at the High School Gym

7:30.

"In the two feature Cage Games of the Season."

Maryville defeated Excelsior in foot ball and the Springs team is out for revenge in basketball. They have lost three games this year to strong Kansas High Schools and will give the Spoofhounds a great battle.

The Parnell girls gave the Maryville girls a defeat at Parnell and the Maryville girls are out for revenge.

The Second Game Tomorrow Night

Better Swine Market Is Sure to Come Soon

More Hogs Slaughtered In 1923 Than Ever Before In History Of World —Conservation Is Urged.

The old year closed the most gigantic slaughter of swine ever recorded in the history of the world. More than fifty-five million head of hogs left the American farm for the pork barrel. The increase over any other year was more than one million a month, and the excess pork production over 1922 was more than one and a half billion pounds. The old year showed no over production in the farrowing pen, and the new year begins with a great shortage in breeding swine. Upon this statement of conditions there is every promise that the hog market will take a gradual rise beginning early in the spring, and continuing its upward trend as the pork surplus is exhausted.

The above statement made by Fred L. Obenchain, secretary of the National Spotted Poland China Record at the annual meeting of the association held at Indianapolis early in January, was the basis used by the convention in appropriating funds for fair premiums for the 1924 shows, and caused the convention to go on record urging all breeders of swine to conserve their breeding herds and curtail shipment of promising sows to the markets.

The annual meeting increased the 1924 fair premiums over 1923 by several thousand dollars and authorized the officers to organize futurity shows in every county in the cornbelt states. The Record also closed its books against registration of Big Type Poland China hogs to become effective April 1, and adopted a plan to provide a registry of merit for all sows raising a litter of nine or more pigs. Last year, according to Mr. Obenchain's report, was the biggest show year of the breed when more than 30,000 select hogs were driven into show rings and purses amounting to more than $50,000 was awarded. The Record celebrated its tenth anniversary at the annual meeting, and reports showed it to be the third largest swine record in the world.

The officers elected were Henry Field, Shenandoah, Ia., president; R. B. Stone, Nehawka, Neb., vice-president and Fred L. Obenchain, Indianapolis, Ind., secretary. Two directors, A. A. Figg, Danville, Ind., and John Smoley, Marengo, Ia., were elected for a three year term.

In a recent bulletin sent to all members of the Record, Mr. Obenchain urges them to sell their surplus breeding swine to farmers in their own community rather than ship them to daily markets. He says that now when hogs are down is the best time to obtain pure breds to raise the standard of farm stock.

INDEPENDENCE NOTES

Wilma Jabkson entered school last Thursday.

A very large crowd attended our community meeting last Wednesday evening at which Mr. Kinnaird showed the "Roundworm" hog film. Two songs were sung by the school. Sandwiches pickles, pie and coffee were furnished and served by the ladies of the community, after the program.

Our average attendance for last month was sixteen and nineteen twentieths for twenty-three students. This is our lowest average of the term, partly due to two children who departed from us two weeks ago, and Wilma Jabkson who entered last Thursday.

Russell Holmes and Callie Clouse shipped hogs to St. Joseph last Friday.

The school enjoyed a Valentine box last Thursday.

Everett Kellogg and Lewis Wallace visited school last Wednesday afternoon.

Homer Hess, Helen Neal and Deverne Edwards returned to school Monday afternoon after more than a week of illness.

Helen Pence visited school last Friday.

LIBERTY ITEMS.

Jesse Campbell had the misfortune last Thursday of almost severing his third finger on the left hand. He was carrying an axe, when he slipped and fell and the axe fell on his hand.

It would be very much appreciated by the school if the party who borrowed our adjustable bit would return it.

Earl Lowrance shipped hogs Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lowrance visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lowrance.

Last Thursday evening the Henry Field Seed Company broadcast a program from the Woodmen of World radio station at Omaha.

Several of the neighbors gathered at the J. L. Teson home to hear this program. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Twaddell and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bird and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Logan and family and Edgar O'Riley.

Remma and Neva Kenny, Donald Shull and Louise Bird are absent this week on account of sickness.

Daylight your kitchen

CLOSING OUT PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at my farm, adjoining Pickering on the south on

Friday, Feb. 29, 1924

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

88—HEAD OF LIVESTOCK—88

ONE BELGIAN STALLION—RICH, age 4 years, weight 1800, proven to be an extra good breeder. See some of his colts here on day of sale.

TWO JACKS—McKINLEY, registry No. 4754, large black jack 16 hands 1 inch high, good breeder; too well known to need further description.

WONDER JUMBO, registry No. 7951, 16 hands high, 32 inch ear, 8½ inch leg bone, 8 years old, good breeder.

1 span well matched sorrel mares, coming 4 years old, weight about 2400, bred to Belgian horse Rich; 1 black mare 10 years old, weight 1300, bred to Belgian horse Rich.

19 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 full blood Jersey cows and 5 other extra good milkers, ranging in age from 3 to 8 years old; 2 head of two year old heifers; 1 cow to freshen soon; 2 others giving good flow of milk, others heavy springers; all have been T. B. tested; 4 heifer calves; 2 bull calves; 1 thoroughbred Jersey bull 2 years old, but not recorded, sired by $500 bull.

31 HEAD OF HOGS—4 tried brood sows (3 Durocs, 1 white); 14 Duroc gilts, all bred to farrow in March and April; 3 Duroc male pigs old enough for service; 10 fall shoats. All these hogs are double immune.

35 HEAD OF SHEEP—19 coming 4-year-old ewes; 12 1-year-old ewes; all to lamb in April; 1 good Shropshire buck; all natives.

20 or 25 tons of Ensilage. 700 Ears of Seed Corn.

IMPLEMENTS—1 good wagon with box; 1 low wagon with hay rack; New Ideal manure spreader practically new; McCormick mowing machine; hay rake; Black Hawk corn planter; Emerson 16-inch Sulky plow; Busy Bee 6-shovel cultivator; New Departure cultivator; 10 ft. steel harrow; Grand Detour disc with tongue truck; lister; fodder cutter; sled; set of work harness with new collars; road scraper; hog crate; feed bunk; 16 ft. hog trough; about 250 ft. of 3-4 inch gas pipe; 2 Ironclad incubators, 150 egg size in good condition.

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under cash, on sums over $10, a credit of 6 or 9 months on bankable note, drawing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

C. R. HARMON

R. P. HOSMER, Auct. Bank of Pickering, Clerk.

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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—the following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: quit claim deed, house leases, deed of trust, chattel mortgage with power of sale, and general warranty deed.

S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching. Reds raised exclusively 15 years. Exhibition and extra good laying strain. $6.00 per 100. Mrs. Alfred Jones, Farmers 38-17. 18-M1*

FOR SALE—sulky baby carriage, good condition, sell worth the money. Hanamo 4640. 19-26

FOR SALE—Poland China male pigs; big spotted kind; pedigreed; at premises west end of Third street, Maryville. Dennis Wallace, Mgr. (Signed) N. Sisson. 28-tf

WOULD SELL, residence two blocks west of court house, if sold promptly. M. G. Tate. 13-tf

FOR SALE—clover hay in barn. O. J. Harris, Farmers 1-18, Maryville. 18-23*

FOR SALE—Ancona setting eggs, fifteen for 75 cents. C. W. Litsch, 715 East First, Hanamo 3297. 19-25*

FOR SALE—house and lot; easy terms. Inquire J. D. Dickerson. J8tf

FOR SALE—Baby chicks. Are now taking orders. Place your order early. Most all varieties. 100 per cent delivery. $14 per 100 delivered. Half down with orders.

Groves Hatchery, R. 4 Skidmore, Phone through Graham. 14tf

FOR SALE or trade or lease, for term of years, a ranch, 1,620 acres deeded land. Hooker County Nebraska also lease on section school land or will trade for farm in north west Missouri, clear. J. T. Hays, Maryville, Mo. West 12th street. F2tf

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds Mahood and Tallant strains, direct winners at Springfield, Maryville and Savannah, Mo. Eggs from selected matings, $2.50 per 15; $12.00 per 100. Utility matings, $1.50 per 15; $6.00 per 100. Prepaid. Anna Ordnung, Savannah, Mo. F18-M17*

FOR SALE—48 piece dinner set, may be seen at Carstens Second Hand Store, 121 West Third St. 15-23*

Booking hatching orders, 5c per chick. Specialty breeders Dark Brown Leghorns only. Your eggs receive care as ours. Shelternock, Albany, Mo. F9-M9*

FOR SALE—2 acres, 5 room house, pantry, basement; barn; poultry house, fruits; $2,600 for quick sale. Terms on part. C. D. Allen, 119 E. 4th. 20-23

FOR SALE—Gold fish and supplies, new stamped goods, new and used sewing machines. We repair and furnish repairs and needles for all makes Hemstitching and picot work. Strader & Clapper Sewing Machine Exchange Peoples phone 288. 21-23

FOR SALE—70 acres improved, 2½ miles of Maryville on main road. Will consider Maryville property on part. C. D. Allen, 119 East Fourth street. 21-23

FOR QUICK SALE—one of the best properties for sale cheap, if taken in the next ten days. Might take in a trade. See Otis & Herndon. F20tf.

FOR SALE—few good radio sets of standard make, at cost. See John Price, Jr., at Price Furniture store. 22-25*

SEEDS—all kinds, buy them from Holt Supply Co., and rest assured they have high germination and purity. 22-1

FOR SALE—No. 502 East First street, strictly modern bungalow, ten rooms, cellar, garage, and two corner lots, nothing better in the city; also No. 521 South Vine, six rooms, lights, cellar, garage. Both of these in best neighborhoods, on easy terms. One 400 acre ranch in South Missouri, and one 937 acre cattle ranch in eastern Colorado, both improved, just ripe to make some one younger than I plenty of money. Terms to suit on either, or would exchange for Maryville City property. Talk to Clark D. Allen or myself at the old stand. Chas. Hyslop F21tf.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Feb. 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 62,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 8,600.

St. Louis, Feb. 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 19,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Kansas City, Feb. 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 600.
HOGS—Receipts, 9,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

St. Joseph, Feb. 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 800.
HOGS—Receipts, 9,000, top $6.85; 10c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500.

Today's Market

Leghorn springs, and stags, per lb	12c
Springs, per lb	15c
Ducks and Geese per lb	12c
Eggs per doz	25c
Turkeys per lb	20c
Cream, per lb	43c
Capons, per lb	20c
Heavy Hens, per lb	18c
Light hens, per lb	15c

FOR SALE—Dining table, library table, single bed, mattress, springs, comfort chair, and china closet. Call Hanamo 6442. 22-25

FOR SALE—Willard piano, good condition, cheap. 602 East Third or Hanamo 488 after 5 o'clock. 21-27

WE OFFER FOR SALE—3 good Jersey cows, just fresh. Robinson & Wallace. 21-23

FOR SALE—one good used double tub power washer, with 1½ h. p. engine. It was traded in for a new electric aluminum Maytag washer. Call Lowry Hardware Co. 22-23

FOR SALE—fine big two weeks old male calf. 416 West 11th. 22-25*

FOR SALE—twenty fine big Poland China gilts, bred for early farrow. F. P. Robinson & Co. 21-23

FOR SALE—pure bred Buff Orpington eggs, $4.00 per 100. Reid Council, Graham. 19-6*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Clean rags, free from lint. Pieces, no scraps. Bring them to the Democrat-Forum office. 24tf

FOR RENT—modern rooms furnished complete for housekeeping. Mrs. Wm. Armstrong. 18tf.

LOST—Ford tire and rim, some place in town. Return to Democrat-Forum. 20-22

WANTED—Shares in the Sanitary Swimming Pool. Communicate with me at once. Chas. W. Alexander, Maryville. 20-22

BARBERING PAYS. Easy to learn. Short course qualifies. Catalog explains. Moler Barber College, 544 Main. Kansas City. 21-28*

LOST—Gold Conklin fountain pen, Thursday. Return to the Democrat Forum. 22*

WANTED—All kinds of hauling, call L. J. Crawford at Sewell's Garage. Hanamo 311, or Farmers 243. 22-25*

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Bessie Mann, after this date. W. O. Mann. 22-25*

FOR RENT—well improved 160 acre farm. Inquire Joseph Jackson. F22tf.

WANTED—wood sawing and truck hauling. Price reasonable. O. V. Pugsley, Farmers 117. F22tf

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 704 North Main. Hanamo 4686. 21-23

LOST—Pocketbook containing $5.00 bill and some small change. Return to Democrat-Forum. 22

FOR RENT—120 acres near Ravenwood, to reliable man, at $6 per acre. See Otis & Herndon. 21-23

FOR RENT—modern rooms, close in. Phone Farmers 143. 21-23

FOR RENT: Large furnished rooms close in on paved street, in strictly modern home. Rent reasonable. Hanamo 4743. 19tf.

FOR RENT—40 acres, three miles out; improved. Apply at once. M. G. Tate. 13-tf

WANTED—100 horses weighing 1300 to 1800. Phone me. Will call and see them. Hanamo 31, Farmers 161. Jim Andy Ford. D19-tf

FOR RENT—an 80 and 160 acre farm in Nodaway County. Call or write Roy F. Hanna. F8tf.

Red Clover, home grown and all other kinds, at the Maryville seed house. We meet all competition. Why send away? One door north Postoffice. SMITH & BRANIGER.

Emulation

Pickering

(By O. C. Null)

Frank Ham and family moved last Friday from their home east of Guilford to the J. A. McMullen farm east of Mozingo Valley. They consider themselves fortunate to have moved before the storm which played havoc with the roads.

A. N. Butler and family moved last week from near Parnell to the farm southeast of Pickering formerly owned by E. A. Dalrymple, but now owned by Chas. Hinton.

Mr. Butler will work for Mr. Hinton this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McClurg and family, who went to Los Angeles, California about two months ago with the expectation of making their home there, returned to Pickering on Thursday.

They were not at all satisfied with California and will now rent a farm here.

It is pretty hard on anyone raised in Nodaway County to find any place which will satisfy them when looking for a change of location.

C. C. Hewitt and three-year-old daughter returned last Saturday from Rochester, Minn., where the little girl has been undergoing surgical treatment for her hip for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Lewis Pistole of Mozingo Valley neighborhood is visiting this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Stevenson in Elmo.

Burley Gray and family moved Thursday from the Alva Ingels farm west of Bloomfield school to the D. C. Johnson farm north of Mt. Pleasant school. The place he vacates will be occupied this season by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur I. Wray, who have lived for the past year on the Clarence Jones farm west of Long Branch school. Mr. Wray is moving his implements this week.

Miss Rowena Hull, teacher of the Carden school near Quitman visited over last Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hull.

Miss Mary Scott, teacher in the Stanberry school, came home Thursday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott.

O. G. Null went to St. Joseph on Friday to attend a meeting of the rural letter carriers of the Fourth Congressional District. Mr. Null has been secretary-treasurer of the district association for several years.

The sleet storm last Saturday did considerable damage to telephone lines and to trees in this vicinity besides crippling the light service so that Pickering had no electric lights from Saturday night until Tuesday, much to the discomfort of all those who use electric current for lighting. The telephone service is still bad, though it is improving every day and we hope to soon be able to have complete service again.

T. J. Latimer of Bloomdale neighborhood gave a closing out sale at his farm on Tuesday and expects to make a trip to the Pacific Coast this summer in his Ford truck on which he will build a special body equipped for traveling and camping.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The following high school students are absent from school with the measles: Roy Harrington, Paul Burks, Harold Harvey and Eva Swaney.

A very interesting debate was given between the junior and senior classes in assembly Wednesday morning. The seniors were winners.

Veva Anthony and Gracie Ulmer composed the junior team and Forrest Smith and Hildred Hinton the senior.

In observance of "Good Speech" week the freshmen class gave a pageant Thursday morning. The characters were as follows:

Benjamin Franklin—Kenneth Swinford.

Tom Sawyers—Keith Thompson.

Huckleberry Finn—Harold Copeland.

Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm—Leta Florea.

Rebecca from Ivanhoe—Ruby Anthony.

Rowena from Ivanhoe—Opal Florea.

Silas Marner—Earl Lack.

Eppie—Hazel Scott.

Child character from Dickens—Harold Houston.

The spirits of "Good English" were represented by Helen Ulmer and Lois Harvey.

Helen Ulmer acted as reader for the pageant.

The sophomore class will give a program on Friday in commenoration of George Washington's birthday.

Miss Ringgold, a student at the State Teachers College, visited high school Thursday.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The sleet sure made a "hit" with our services Sunday. There were only 21 at Sunday school, but we had an interesting session anyway.

The Wesleyans had a good meeting at church Thursday afternoon. They are planning for an Easter bazaar, Saturday, April 19.

A recent letter from Dr. W. F. Burris, expresses appreciation of messages and other expressions of sympathy he has received from friends. He has been removed to his own home and expects presently to be entirely restored to health and to take up his work again.

The pastor will preach at Pickering at 11 a. m. Sunday and if the roads are passable at Myrtle Tree at 7 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Regular services next Sunday.

Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by our new pastor, Thos. M. Walton. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation to attend these services is extended to all.

The Ladies Aid Society has served lunch at the Edward Gray sale on Tuesday and the Harvey David sale on Friday and are billed to serve lunch at the Hogue-King sale next Monday. These lunches are greatly apreciated by those in attendance at the sales these chilly days.

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Closing Out Sale

Having decided to quit farming we will sell at the Bert Hogue farm, three miles west of Pickering, one mile west and seven miles north of Maryville, on

Monday, Feb .25

at 11 o'clock the following property:

4 HEAD OF HORSES—1 team 12 years old, wt. 3100; 1 black mare 6 years old, wt. 1400; 1 black horse nine years old, wt. 1500.

CATTLE—2 cows with calves by side.

HOGS—4 brood sows and gilts; 43 head of fall shoats;

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—1 high wheeled wagon; 1 low wheel wagon; 2 disc harrows; 1 harrow; 2 walking cultivators; 1 riding cultivator; John Deere corn planter; one 16-inch and one 14-inch breaking plow; 1 hay rack; 3 sets of work harness.

One kitchen range and some household furniture.

HAY AND GRAIN—500 bushels of corn; 15 tons of hay.

Terms cash. Lunch by the Ladies Aid of the Christian Church.

B. R. HOGUE
A. H. KING

Jim Braniger, Auct. Bank of Pickering, Clerk.

Fresh eggs are beginning to move over quite a wide area and prices on the leading markets of the country reflects this condition. Today at Chicago fresh firsts are quoted at 31½ cents as compared with 37 cents a week ago. This indicates a decline of $1.60 per case. With constantly increasing supplies, the market may be expected to work still lower until a storage basis is reached the latter part of March.

The movement of poultry continues on a liberal scale, supplies being ample for current use, and there has been little change in the market value.

While there is a good demand for all kinds of produce, the markets are naturally influenced by supplies of other kinds of food products available. This is particularly noticeable at the present time, as affecting poultry, on account of the heavy supply of hogs.

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Two Churches Accept $110 Campaign Quota

Wilcox and Pleasant Grove Circuit of M. E. Church, South, Will Raise this Amount

The Wilcox and Pleasant Grove circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Rev. M. L. Shemwell, pastor, has accepted $1,110 as a minimum quota to raise within five years for the cause of Superannuate Endowment of that denomination. The goal for the entire church of this movement is $10,000,000.00, the income from which is to be used for the support of the aged and infirm ministers and widows and orphans of ministers.

The campaign for the fund is being directed by the board of finance of the Southern Methodist Church, St. Louis, Mo., Bishop W. F. McMurry, chairman, and Dr. Luther E. Todd, secretary. The latter has issued and sent to all pastors a booklet, "The Call of the Forgotten Man," which tells the pathetic story of the great need, asks the church to remember him with substantial giving and outlines plans for raising the sum sought.

According to reports received by the board, over 2,000 pastoral charges have up to this time accepted minimum quotas asked of them and many of them have voluntarily increased the amounts. Several large individual gifts have already been announced and others are expected.

There are over 900 of the old preachers, many of them pioneer circuit riders who rode through storm and sunshine winter and summer, day and night, to serve humanity and the church, 1,300 widows and 600 orphans, many of whom are living in little better than poverty. They never forgot duty and the church for a single moment, and there is now evidence on all sides that the church is at last thoroughly awake to its belated duty to its forgotten servants.

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Fine quality Apples (all sound) peck 45c; per lb..5c
English Breakfast Mackerel, each 15c
Aunt Jemima's Pancake or Buckwheat Flour, 15c pkgs for.....12c
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Choice Vegetables in gallon cans, solid pack—
Iowa Sugar Corn, per gallon can 55c
Colorado Green Beans, per gallon can 60c
Del Monte Tomatoes, Utah pack, gallon can.....55c
Wisconsin Sweet Peas, small and tender, gallon can...75c
California Spinach, per gallon can 60c
Fancy dry pack Pumpkin, per gallon can.....35c
Larson's famous Sauer Kraut, per gallon can....40c
Larson's sliced blood red Beets, per gallon can....45c
Larson's whole blood red Beets, per gallon can...50c
Golden Bantam Corn on cob, per gallon can.....85c
Cupid Brand Hominy, per gallon can 30c
Van Camp's Pork and Beans, per gallon can.....70c
Van Camp's Tomato Sauce, per gallon can.....45c
Van Camp's Tomato Soup, per gallon can.....70c
Excellent Brand Cocoa, quart jars....25c; pint..15c
Matches, Noiseless, double tip, carton of 6 boxes....25c
Gre-Solvent (cleans hands clean) large can, 1 lb size, 2 for.....25c
Small sweet Oranges, per dozen 15c
Forsyth's pure pork Sausage, per lb.....15c
25c cartons Wheatena.....20c

We excel in fancy Cheese. Blue Hill Brand Chili or pimento, per carton 15c
Kraft Bros. canned Cheese, all varieties..20c
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Chases' Chocolate Creams, ½ lb for.....15c
Morrell's Bacon, light, medium or heavy, per lb.....15c
Jno. Morrell's skinned hams, fat and skin removed, 8 to 10 lbs per lb.....15c
Calif. Almonds, per lb....20c

WINNER OF BOK PRIZE

Charles Herbert Levermore of New York, student of international relations, writer, and former college professor, was announced as the winner of the $100,000 prize offered by Edward W. Bok for the best plan to preserve peace among the nations of the world.

CIRCUIT RIDER STATUE

The Circuit Rider statue, depicting an early-day minister of the West, on its massive marble base on the state house lawn at Salem, Ore., which has just been completed and will be unveiled on April 19. The memorial is the gift of Robert A. Booth of Eugene, Ore., in memory of his father, Rev. Robert Booth, pioneer.

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FORD TELLS ABOUT PROPOSED CHANGES

(Continued from page one)

partments of the state and in this way, the appropriations will not exceed the estimated revenue of the state. The Legislature is given the right to decrease but not increase the amount provided in the recommendations of the Governor. This amendment will put the business of the state on a cash basis."

The much-discussed Amendment Seven was then taken up by Mr. Ford. This creates a new division of the Supreme Court, to be made up of three circuit court judges, chief justice of the Supreme Court, presiding judge of each division of the Supreme Court and the presiding judges of the Kansas City and Springfield Court of Appeals and a judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals. This court is estabilshed to help the other judicial branches catch up on their work, so that justice will be made as speedy as possible. This new court would mean no additional cost to the people of the state, Mr. Ford said, as all the judges would receive no more than their regular salaries.

"The railroads of the state are opposed to this amendment because they generally profit from long delays in justice," Mr. Ford said. "If you want a more speedy justice and a more simple form of court procedure, then you should vote for Amendment Seven," he added.

Amendment Eight provides that members of the state board of education instead of the superintendent of public schools shall be liable to impeachment. This Amendment also requires the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all senators elected for conviction of impeachment, Mr. Ford said. The present law requires two-thirds of those Senators present.

Amendment Nine, Mr. Ford said, provides that all aliens must become citizens of the State of Missouri before they can vote.

Amendment Ten, he continued, provides that political parties may have the right to choose between the convention and primary method for nominating candidates.

Amendment Eleven provides that sheriffs may succeed themeslves.

Amendment Twelve provides that the maximum state tax which can be levied by the General Assembly be reduced from 15 to 10 cents on the $100 valuation.

Amenmdent Thirteen provides for the classification of property for the purposes of taxation and that all property within this particular class must be taxed on the same basis.

Amendment Fourteen provides for the abolition of the present ex-officio State Board of Equalization, and gives the General Assembly power to create some other agency to perform the duties now exercised by the present board, Mr. Ford said.

Amendment Fifteen provides that the state may provide, but not compell, free education for all persons over 20 years old, as well as persons under 6 years old. Catholic members of the committee on education have held that this amendment in no way affects the parochial school, Mr. Ford said.

Amendments Sixteen and Seventeen are not being objected to, and consequently these amendments were not discussed by Mr. Ford.

Amendment Eighteen prohibits an appointive officer placing any of his relatives on the state pay-roll, Mr. Ford said.

Amendment Nineteen is a Kansas City measure and is of no interest to Nodaway County, Mr. Ford continued.

No organization seems to be opposing Amendments Twenty and Twenty-one and consequently these were not discussed by Mr. Ford last night.

Fowler Files Suit of Attachment Yesterday

An attachment suit in civil action was filed in the circuit court yesterday by T. A. Fowler against Byron Croy.

The plaintiff in his petition asks judgment for $1,286.76 and interest since October 8, 1921 and costs.

W. F. Phares left today for Albany on business.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

PHONE NO. HANAMO 602, FARMERS 111,

TONIGHT ONLY—Peggy O'Day in "**THEY'RE OFF.**" Horse racing drama. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

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